

baya; Sociedad Cientifica, "Antonio Alzate," Mexico; Bishop Crescencio Carrillo, Merida, Yucatan.

Accessions to the Library were announced from the Comité de Conservation des Monuments de L'Art Arabe, Cairo, Egypt; Royal Society of Tasmania; Secretary of Mines, Melbourne, Victoria; New Zealand Institute, Wellington; Tokyo Library; K. Akademie der Wissenschaften, St. Petersburg; M. O. A. L. Pihl, Christiania; Naturforschende Gesellschaft, Bamberg; K. P. Geodätische Institut, Association Géodésique Internationale, Berlin; Naturforschende Gesellschaft, Emden; Verein für die Geschichte und Altertumskunde, Erfurt; Naturwissenschaftliche Verein des Reg.-Bez., Frankfurt a. O.; K. Leopoldinisch-Carolinische Deutsche Akademie der Naturforscher, Halle a. S.; Schweizerische Naturforschende Gesellschaft, Bern; Société de Physique et d'Histoire Naturelle, Geneva; Biblioteca N. C. di Firenze; Direzione Générale della Statistica, Rome; Ministère de l'Instruction Publique et des Beaux Arts, Société Americaine de France, Paris; Dr. John Evans, Hemel Hempstead; Natural History and Antiquarian Society, Penzance; Royal Society, Edinburgh; Bureau of Statistics of Labor, Boston; Dr. J. S. Newberry, New York; Departments of Labor, State, War, Smithsonian Institution, Mr. Sanford Fleming, Washington, D. C.; Col. Charles C. Jones, Augusta, Ga.; Mr. William Harden, Savannah; Dennison University, Granville, O.

Pending nominations Nos. 1230 and 1231 were read.

And the Society was adjourned by the President.

*Stated Meeting, October 2, 1891.*

Present, 9 members.

Vice-President, Dr. RUSCHENBERGER, in the Chair.

Letters of envoy were received from the Naturforschende Verein, Brünn; K. P. Akademie der Wissenschaften, Berlin;

K. Sächsische Gesellschaft der Wissenschaften, Leipzig; Gesellschaft zur Beförderung der gesammten Naturwissenschaften, Marburg; Verein für Vaterländische Naturkunde in Württemberg, Stuttgart; Museo Nacional de Buenos Aires; Oficina Meteorológica Argentina, Cordoba.

Letters of acknowledgment were received from the Imperial Academy of Science, Prof. Serge Nikitin, St. Petersburg (134); Societatea Geografica Româna, Bucharest (131-134); K. Danske Videnskabernes Selskab, Copenhagen (134); Université R. de Norvège, Christiania (128-134); Société Entomologique de Belgique, Bruxelles (134); Fondation de P. Teyler van der Hulst, Harlem (134); Naturforschende Verein in Brünn (128-133); Académie des Sciences, Cracow, Austria (134); Osservatorio Marittimo, Trieste (131-134); Section für Naturkunde des Ö. T. C., Vienna (134); K. Geodätische Institut (135), K. P. Meteorologische Institut (134), Deutsche Geologische Gesellschaft (135), Berlin; K. Sächsische Altertums Verein, Dresden (134); Naturwissenschaftliche Verein des Reg.-Bez., Frankfurt a. O. (134); Gr. Hess. Univ. Bibliothek, Giessen (129); K. Leopoldinisch-Carolinische Akademie, Halle a. S. (134); Verein für Thüringische Geschichte und Altertumskunde, Jena (134); Verein für Erdkunde, Metz (131-134); Dr. C. A. Dohrn, Stettin (134); Verein für Vaterländische Naturkunde in Württemberg, Stuttgart (131-134 and Trans. xvi, 3); Prof. Johannes Dümichen, Strasbourg (134); Prof. Guido Cora, Turin (134); R. Accademia di Scienze, etc., Modena (134); Societa Africana D'Italia, Naples (131-134); R. Accademia di Scienze, etc., Padua (131-134); M. A. Des Cloizeaux, Dr. E. T. Hamy, Paris (135); Cte. de Charencey, St. Maurice les Charencey (134); Institution of Civil Engineers (129, 130), Sir James Paget (134), London; Mr. Alfred R. Wallace, Parkstone, England (131-134); Prof. Robert W. Rogers, Carlisle (135); Col. Garrick Mallery (135), Prof. C. V. Riley (134), Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C.; Museo Nacional, Dr. H. Burmeister, Buenos Aires (134); Instituto Fisico-Geografico Nacional, San José de Costa Rica (131-134); South African Philosophical Society, Cape Town (131-133).

Accessions to the Library were reported from the Tokyo Library ; R. Accademia Degli Agiati, Rovereto, Austria ; Naturwissenschaftliche Gesellschaft "Isis," Dresden ; Société des Sciences Physiques et Naturelles, Bordeaux ; Bureau des Longitudes, Paris ; Société de Geographie, Toulouse ; M. Nicholas Ball, Block Island, R. I. ; New York Forest Commission, Albany ; American Museum of Natural History, Prof. J. S. Newberry, New York ; M. J. A. Udden, Rock Island, Ill. ; Academy of Sciences, St. Louis ; University of California, Sacramento ; Observatorio Meteorologico-Magnetico Central, Mexico ; Comissão Geographica e Geologica, San Paulo, Brazil ; Museo Nacional Oficina Meteorologica Argentina, Buenos Aires ; Dirección Central de Estadística, Guatemala, C. A.

The death of D. Humphrey Storer, M.D., Boston, September 10, 1891, aged 87, was announced.

Prof. Cope offered a paper for the Transactions on the "Ophidians of North America," which was referred to Drs. Horn, Ryder and Heilprin.

Dr. Horn made a communication on the genus *Calospaste*.

Dr. Franz Boaz, of Worcester, Mass., presented through the Secretaries a paper entitled, "Vocabularies of the Tlingit, Haida, etc., Languages."

Prof. Cope made some remarks on the results of a late expedition to the Galapagos islands.

Pending nominations Nos. 1230 and 1231 were read.

And the Society was adjourned by the presiding member.

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*Stated Meeting, October 16, 1891.*

Present, 17 members.

Vice-President, Dr. RUSCHENBERGER in the Chair.

Correspondence was submitted as follows :

A circular was received from the Local Committee on Organization of Pan-Republic Congress and Human Freedom